GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Services - Survey and Land Records - Allegation of corruption, initiation of Disciplinary Proceedings against Sri G. Rajendra Prasad, Surveyor - Initiation of Disciplinary action under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 - Enquiry Officer appointed - Enquiry Officer's report communicated-Imposition of punishment of two increments without cumulative effect on Sri G. Rajendra Prasad, Surveyor - Orders Issued

REVENUE (VIGILANCE.I.2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 214

Dated: 25.03.2015.
Read the following:-

- 1) From the D.G., A.C.B., Hyderabad letter Rc.No.223/RCT-NPK/2009, Dt.28.07.2010.
- 2) G.O.Rt.No.525, Rev (Vig.IV.2) Dept., dt.3-5-2011
- 3) G.O. Rt. No.283 & 284 Rev (Vig.IV.2) Dept. Dt.21-2-2013
- 4) Enquiry Officer's report dated: 25-7-2013
- 5) Govt. Memo Nos. 40099/Vig. IV. 2/2009, Dt. 08-1-2014
- 6) Explanation of Sri G. Rajendra Prasad, Surveyor, dt.21-3-2014

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ORDER:

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, A.P., Hyderabad has recommended to initiate Departmental action with major punishment against Sri G. Rajendra Parasad, Mandal Surveyor, Prakasam District and (5) others, for violation of Rules 3 (1), (2), (3) & (4) of A.P.Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, for committing irregularities in colluding with Sri K. Narasimham, Surveyor.

- 2. In the reference 2nd read above, common disciplinary proceedings were initiated against all the (6) Accused officers, by framing articles of charges, for violation of A.P. Civil Services (conduct) Rules, 1964. They have submitted their written statements of defence.
- 3. Whereas, in the reference 3rd read above, after examining the matter, Government have appointed the District Revenue officer, Prakasam District, as Inquiry officer and the Revenue Divisional officer, Kandukuru as Presenting officer to inquire into the charges framed against all the (6) accused officers.
- 4. And whereas, in the reference 4th read above, the Inquiring authority has furnished Inquiry report and held that the charge is **proved** against Sri G. Rajendra Prasad, Mandal Surveyor.
- 5. And whereas, in the reference 5th read above, the report of the Inquiring Authority was communicated to the charged officer, for offering his further representation if any, on the findings of Inquiring Authority, as per sub-rule 2, Rule 21 of A.P.C.S.(CC&A) Rules, 1991. He has submitted his explanation vide reference 6th read above.
- 6. Government have examined the explanation submitted by the charged officer in detail and observed that the charged officer submitted that he got the oral permission of both the Tahsildars, i.e. P.C. Palli and Kanigiri to work in the previous station. It is not correct on the part of the Surveyor to work in his previous station with oral instructions of the Tahsildar. Any survey to be attended with written orders of the concerned Tahsildars. He himself has committed that he has not colluded with the Tahsildars. It is a fact that he worked in Kanigiri and P.C. Palli stations which are contrary to rules and therefore, the evidence proved that he committed irregularity. Hence, charges are held proved. Therefore, Government have decided to impose a penalty of withholding of two annual grade increments without cumulative effect on Sri G. Rajendra Prasad, Mandal Surveyor.

- 7. Accordingly, Government hereby order to impose a penalty of withholding of two annual grade increments without cumulative effect on Sri G. Rajendra Prasad, Mandal Surveyor, Prakasam District.
- 8. The Director of Survey Settlements & Land Records, A.P., Hyderabad shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly. Separate orders will be issued in respect of other accused officers.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

J.C. SHARMA PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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Sri G. Rajendra Prasad, Mdl. Surveyor, Prakasam District <u>through</u> the Director of Survey Settlements & Land Records, A.P., Hyderabad

Copy to:-

The Director of Survey Settlements & Land Records, A.P., Hyderabad

The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Director General Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, Vigilance Commission, A.P. Secretariat, Hyderabad.

The PS to Principal Secretary to Government (Revenue) Department. Spare /Sf.

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SECTION OFFICER